

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 3. **Please also amend** claim 1 and **add** new claim 6 as shown in the complete list of claims that is presented below.

1. (currently amended) A ~~An improved~~ resin pulley formed at least in part of a resin composition, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the improvement comprises:

the resin composition contains a phenol resin as a base resin, and contains 15 to 50 % by weight of an inorganic powder having a Mohs hardness of not less than 6.5, 20 to 40 % by weight of a reinforcing fiber, and 1 to 5 % by weight of fluororesin powder having an average particle diameter of not more than 10 μ m as a lubricant.

2. (original) The resin pulley according to claim 1, wherein the inorganic powder is a spherical silica powder having an average particle diameter of not more than 30 μ m.

Claim 3 (cancelled).

4. (original) The resin pulley according to claim 1, wherein the reinforcing fiber is a glass fiber.

5. (original) The resin pulley according to claim 1, wherein the phenol resin is a phenol resin having a number average molecular weight of 600 to 900.

6. (new) The resin pulley according to claim 1, wherein the average diameter of the fluororesin powder is not less than 1 μ m.